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To: Microsoft ATR
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Dear sir,

I disagree with the proposed remedy placed before the public for comment in the Microsoft antitrust trial. I am most bothered by the fact that there is no apparent penalty for the past misdeeds of the corporation, making it appear that there is no deterrent to future misdeeds, especially given that some of these failures came following the failure to abide by previous agreements. Further, the proposed weak oversight of the proposed agreement lacks real teeth, and does not inspire confidence that this mechanism would be effective either. Further, by working in secret, the oversight may be prone to undue influence.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

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